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| New Sour Kraut, per quart | 5c |
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NORTHUMBERLAND.

Farmers Are in Good Spirits and Planting Larger Crops.

HEATHSVILLE, VA., Oct. 29.—The corn crop here is said to be the largest raised in years, and the farmers were never happier or in better spirits. The only cause of complaint has been the scarcity of farm labor, and the impossibility of securing hands at the season when crops must be gathered and saved, notwithstanding the great advance in wages. The farmers here are looking forward hopefully and confidently. This is indicated by the heavy supply of fertilizers purchased for the fall season, and also by the decided enlargement of the acreage of land seeded to wheat and grain.

The subject of politics is rarely mentioned here, and the campaign has awakened less interest. It is said, than any presidential election since the reconstruction era. This is due in a measure to the fact that the Republicans, although they have a nominee for Congress from this district, stand no earthly show of electing him.

The contest between Senator Martin and Governor Montague is already awakening interest here, and there seems little doubt that there will be "something doing" in politics, before this time next year.

Rev. Dr. G. W. Beale, assisted by Rev. C. W. Whitehead, has been holding protracted services at Coan Baptist Church this week. A large number of converts have been reported.

SALEM SOCIAL.

SALEM, VA., Oct. 29.—Misses Frances

and Granville de Wald entertained a large number of friends Friday evening at their home, on High Street. Excellent music was furnished and dancing was indulged in till a late hour. At the end of the evening delightful supper was served. Among the dancers were: Misses Claudine Ferguson, Hattie Reese, Laura Painter, Eula Willis, Margaret Stearnes, Messrs. George Reese, Roy Rinker, Campbell Cline, Mitchell Strother, Richard Clemmer, Royall Cannaday, and Weston Clemmer.

The Roanoke College Dramatic Club, which achieved such success last year, was reorganized Saturday evening, and preparations for a new play will begin at once. Those of the old members present were: Misses Claudine Ferguson and Jane Johnston, Messrs. George Welton, Stanley Shupert and Fred Rinker.

Mrs. Charles Vawter is visiting her mother, Mrs. Thomas Henderson, on Main Street.

Mr. Frank Harman and family left Tuesday for Lynchburg, where they will live for the future.

Miss Lucy Biggs left Friday for Radford, where she will attend the county fair.

Miss May Baskerville, of Dublin, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. I. Stearnes.

Mrs. Dudley Boggs, of Clover, Va., is spending the week with Miss Annie Wiley.

Mrs. John Logan, who has been spending the summer in Salem, returned Thursday to her home, in Norfolk.

Mr. C. M. Tartar, of Tazewell county, a former student of Roanoke College, was in town this week visiting friends.

Dr. J. H. Morehead, president of Roanoke College, left Wednesday for an

extended trip through the north in the interest of the College.

Mr. J. C. Townsend, of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Roma Stearnes, on High Street.

WYTHEVILLE, VA.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WYTHEVILLE, VA., Oct. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Macallister will tour in Europe this winter.

Miss Anna Gleaves, the eldest daughter of the late Captain Robert Gleaves, of Cripple Creek, and Mr. William M. Whitman, of this county, will be married this evening at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Burk, who has been summoned to Wytheville by the bride's father, who will spend the winter at Church Street, left Monday for Savannah, Ga.

Miss Grace Norrell, who spent the summer here, and returned to her home in Houston, Tex.

Mrs. T. C. Miller is in Petersburg attending the meeting of the United Loyalists of the Confederacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Sexton left yesterday for New Orleans, where they will spend the winter.

Miss Annie Boyd, of Baton Rouge, La., who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Spiller, left today for her home, accompanied by Miss Annie Spiller, who will spend the winter in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Miller, of Pikeville, Ky., are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Miller.

Splitting Custom's Hairs.

The Vienna newspapers tell the story of a fire which broke out at Hermannsreuth, an Austrian village near the Bavarian frontier. A Bavarian fire brigade, which was stationed not more than three miles away, hastened to the rescue, but the Austrian customs house authorities refused to allow the fire engines to pass the frontier before the usual tax on imported machinery was paid. The Bavarian firemen naturally turned back, and half the village was burned down before the nearest Austrian brigade was on the scene.

JAPAN HAS EAR OF CHINA

Her Growing Influence an Interesting Factor in the Eastern Situation.

ON VERY FRIENDLY TERMS

Japanese Teachers Given Preference in Chinese Institutions. Cordial to Foreigners.

By Bishop Charles B. Galloway, D. D., L. L. D.

(Special Correspondence of The Times-Dispatch.)

SOOCHOW, CHINA, Sept. 21.—The most significant fact in the Eastern situation at present, and possibly more portentous than the destructive war now waging, is the rapidly increasing influence of Japan over the Chinese. Ten years ago, during my first visit to the Orient, the Japan-China war was in progress. Then the Japanese were the most despised of earth. When this great nation was so greatly humiliated by the treaty of Shimonoseki—a nation of four hundred millions of people begging terms from a little country which she had made and given a literature and civilization—the hatred passed all bounds. She had to part with Formosa and pay into the Japanese treasury an immense war indemnity. But, strange to say, within less than a decade that bitter enmity has given way to an ominous cordiality. Japan has now the ear of China, and is fast dominating her national life and governmental policies. My information comes from an authentic source that the Japanese minister at Peking is in highest favor at the court, and throughout the provinces of this vast empire there is a growing admiration for their little neighbors. Should Japan win signal success in the present war she can, if she desires, be the real master of China. No one has any reason to doubt her inclination in this respect.

Evidences Are Many.

The evidences of this suggestive fact are many, but are most noticeable in the effort being made to control the education of China. From the University at Peking down to the newly established schools in the provinces, Japanese are in highest favor as teachers. Dr. Martin, an American missionary veteran, a great scholar and life-long friend of the Chinese, has been replaced as president of the University at Peking by a Japanese. It is said that over three thousand young Chinese are now in Japan as students in the Imperial University and subordinate schools. When the vessel on which I crossed the Pacific anchored at Yokohama about fifty young Chinese students came aboard for a home-ward journey. How long they had remained in Japan, and to what extent their studies had been prosecuted, I have no means of knowing. From information since ascertained, however, my impression is that the book knowledge they gain is a negligible quality, but they take on Japanese ideas and imbibe more of the spirit of the people. It has been intimated to me that nearly all of them return rebels in heart against the present dynasty. If so, a might internal struggle will be witnessed in this country before many years.

Honored by Governor.

A few days ago, in company with Drs. Anderson, Park and Fearn, of Soo-Chow, and Dr. Richard, of Shanghai, I called on the new Governor of this province. He received us with distinguished cour-

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Torchon Lace, 6-yard pieces, 15c. piece.
New Chiffon Vellings, all colors and 50c. value, special 25c. yard.
25c. Spool Silk, special, 5c. spool.
50c. Down Pillows, 31c.
Men's Unlaundered Shirts, pure linen, reinforced bosom, \$1 value, 50c. each.
Men's Extra Fleece Shirts and Drawers, 50c. each.
10c. Outing, short lengths, 61-4c. yard.
\$1-3c. Bleach Cotton, in 10 to 40-yard lengths, 61-4c. yard.
25c. and 30c. Homespun Linens, 20c. yard.
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ly interest and excite the Chinese. They have unconcealed admiration for Japan in this struggle, and wish for her grandest triumph.

HAMPDEN-SIDNEY.

Editors of the Kaleidoscope Assigned to Duty.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) HAMPDEN-SIDNEY COLLEGE, Oct. 29.—At a recent meeting of the "Kaleidoscope" staff the editors were assigned to the respective departments as follows: Athletics, A. P. Scott, with B. P. Whiting, assistant; Art Department, E. G. Gorman, with Griggs Elean assistant; Biographical and Historical Department, J. G. Jefferson, with G. Wilson, assistant; Clubs and Organizations, T. C. Watkins, with David Fletcher, assistant; S. W. Booth, Jr., and W. P. Pagan Warren were appointed assistant business managers.

The result of the foot-ball game between senior and junior classes resulted in a victory for the seniors by a score of 25-0. This gives the championship to the senior class, since it has successfully defeated all the other classes. There was a large delegation from the Normal School at Farmville to witness the game, and the appearance on the field was quite an animated one.

And President Whiting has just returned from Martinsburg, W. Va., where he went to attend the session in the interest of the college.

The Hampden-Sidney Magazine for October is just out. The editors seem to be making a creditable effort to get out a good magazine.

Mr. Richard Carrington, of Richmond, who was at home during the horse show, has returned to college.

Mrs. H. S. Reynolds has gone to Newport News to visit her daughter, Mrs. Winston Reed.

Mr. Frederick Read, formerly of Kentucky, but who has been living in South Africa for the past seven years, has recently been on a visit to his kinsman, Prof. Thornton.

As to the Future.

What will be the international upshot of this change of heart on the part of China and the increasing influence of Japan I will not predict. Some see in it the much dreaded "Yellow Peril," others a speedy revolution in China, and the overthrow of the present dynasty. If Japan's official declarations are to be accepted there is no real "Yellow Peril" to be dreaded. I am unable myself as yet to see the predicted danger. The enlightenment of China with Western learning will work changes like those in Japan. If these changes take place under dominant Japanese influence the day of China's Christianization will be somewhat removed, but it will surely come. Reports from the front of battles great-

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) ALEXANDRIA, VA., Oct. 29.—Miss Mary E. Mason and Mr. William J. Walker, both of this city, were married Wednesday evening at the residence of Trinity M. E. Church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. A. Jeffers, the pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Parran, of Baltimore and Miss Julia Mitchell Muschotte, of Charles County, Md., have returned to their respective homes after a visit to Mrs. J. D. Gatewood in this city.

Rev. J. K. Mason, of Louisville, has been visiting his brother-in-law, Judge J. K. Norton. Rev. Mr. Mason officiated

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FURNITURE

ON CREDIT

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